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COLLEGE WHITE TO SIT IN CABINET

Killed in Kansas Race Riots

MURDER OF GROCER BY NEGRO CAUSES CLASH; BOY SLAIN

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
INDEPENDENCE (Kan.) Dec. 16.—A white schoolboy and a negro were killed and four white men wounded, three possibly tonight in a race trouble incident to the killing this morning of a negro by R. R. Wharton, a white grocer.

ARTHROQUAKE MYSTERY

Large Quivering felt for Hours.
Seep from Storm Like Ripples on Rock-Broken Pool.
Unsleeping Seismograph Note and Inscribe Minute Record.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Some seismograph levers deep beneath the floor of the Atlantic and Indian oceans were torn and twisted by a diabolic convulsion.

Force waves thousands of miles swept outward from the center like ripples in a pond. Yet only the seismographs noted it and the world was left wondering.

Most of the population of Independence, which has 11,000 inhabitants, are negroes. The police are reported to have avoided stirring up further trouble.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
TOPEKA, Dec. 16.—No State troops were called out here tonight, but the city was in a state of high tension.

FOUR POLICEMEN SLAIN.

Ambush Patrol; Murders of Priest and Companion Are Admitted.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
CORK, Dec. 16.—Four policemen were killed today at Kilcommon by a mob of eight men who were ambushed by 100 men.

At this point a cable official explained that the report was not clear as to just what led to the shooting. The statement continues: "The cadet then shot Crowley dead with his revolver and turned to the priest and shot him dead."

"Crowley was respectable, 24 years of age, and not engaged in politics. Canon Magner was a highly respected priest and exerted influence in the district."

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FOUR ADDED TO LEAGUE.

Forty-six States are Members.

Bulgaria, Finland, Luxembourg and Costa Rica Admitted by Assembly.

Armenia and Baltic States Are Refused Membership for Present.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
GENEVA, Dec. 16.—The League of Nations increased its membership to forty-six states today by the admission of Bulgaria, Finland, Luxembourg and Costa Rica.

Some of the members of the assembly, who explained that, although they held no grievances against Bulgaria, they lacked sufficient information and preferred not to vote either way.

Armenia came up again today to trouble the assembly. To do something for Armenia has appeared to be the slogan of several members since the beginning of the meeting, including South Africa, represented by Lord Robert Cecil.

The committee on the admission of new states having decided that Armenia could not be admitted now, Lord Robert asked the assembly to hold to the hope that Armenia would be admitted next year and to wish well to President Wilson in his mediation of the Armenian and Turkish Nationalists.

WANT INFORMATION.
Edward D. Millan, of Australia, suggested it might be wise to find out whether it was true Armenia had gone Bolshevick and had made peace with Mustafa Kemal Pasha, the Nationalist leader, before basing further on the proposal of mediation.

George Nicol Barnes of the English delegation, asked whether it would not be wiser to drop the subject rather than risk a vote. If the vote should be negative, he declared, it would be like a slap in the face to Armenia.

The assembly involved itself in a tangle of procedure which René Viviani of France, as usual, unraveled by the simple suggestion to send the whole question back to the committee, which, of course, would be unable to report to this assembly.

HOLDING OUT HOPE.
The entire afternoon session was occupied in holding out hope to Estonia, Lithuania and Latvia, whose applications for admission were rejected by the committee.

These states found advocates in delegates Restrepo of Colombia, of Italy and Prince Lowich of Persia. M. Viviani said: "I join all those who express sympathy with, or hope for, the Baltic states, but there is a grave question involved. There is an article in the covenant which has made some noise in the world—Article X—which requires that members of the league go to the aid of a fellow member who is attacked."

"Now who will be before to go to the defense of those Baltic states? Let those who wished to admit them first make sure their governments are ready to send troops to defend them."

On the roll call Estonia was rejected by twenty-seven votes out of the thirty-five cast. Latvia and Lithuania each received five votes out of twenty-nine.

BACKS ARGENTINA.
(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SANTIAGO (Chile) Dec. 15.—Chile will co-operate with Argentina for the purpose of bringing about the success of the high proposals sustained by the Argentine delegation in amendments proposed before the assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva, said an official statement of the Chilean government.

On the roll call Argentina was rejected by twenty-seven votes out of the thirty-five cast. Latvia and Lithuania each received five votes out of twenty-nine.

HUNGARIANS INTERN JEWS.
(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
VIENNA, Dec. 16.—The Hungarian authorities are taking steps to intern all alien Jews, says a dispatch from Budapest. During the last few nights, 1,500 Jewish families have been ordered to leave their homes and removed to an internment camp.

ROBBERS HOLD UP JEWELRY STORE, KILL THE OWNER, GET GEMS VALUED AT \$100,000.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Three masked robbers entered the rooms of a jewelry store on the eighth floor of an office building in the heart of the Fifth-avenue district this afternoon, shot and killed Edwin W. Andrews, a member of the firm, bound and gagged three other men, and escaped with jewels valued at \$100,000.

Stepping from the crowds of Christmas shoppers passing the building, located between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, in the center of a group of department stores, banks and exclusive shops, the men took the elevator to the floor upon which Andrews' firm has offices. Mr. Andrews was alone.

Just what occurred, police investigating the case have been unable to determine. They believe that Andrews attempted to close the door of the safe and that one of the men shot him. No shot was heard in near-by offices and Andrews was dead when found.

As he entered, he was grabbed, bound, gagged and thrown on the floor beside Andrews. Two salesmen, Arthur Meris and Vincent Provenzano, entered soon after and were bound and gagged.

PHILIPINO INDEPENDENCE GETS A BOOST IN HOUSE.

Philippine Agent Declares Islands Are Ready for It Without Guarantees of the United States.

(BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.)
(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Following a speech by Representative Frear of Wisconsin in the House today advocating the immediate liberation of the Philippines from American rule, Philippine Commissioner De Veyra stated that independence without American protection thereafter or other guarantees will be acceptable to his people.

"We are willing to take a chance and we are confident we shall be able to maintain our independence and defend ourselves from any possible aggression," said De Veyra. "We endorse the bill, which provides for granting us our independence without any guarantees or other strings tied to it."

FRAME CONSTITUTION.
The bill was introduced by Representative King of Illinois, and hearings on it before the Senate Committee on Insular Affairs will be sought immediately. The measure provides that within one year the Philippine government, under Presidential direction, shall convene a convention to frame a constitution.

When the constitution has been framed, the President is to call a convention to ratify it. The bill also provides for the immediate withdrawal of American troops from the islands.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
PARIS, Dec. 16.—Hugh C. Wallace, the American Ambassador, last night refused to meet Wilhelm Meyer von Kumbowen, German Ambassador, because the United States still is technically in a state of war with Germany.

The incident occurred at an official dinner to the Diplomatic Corps given by Raoul Peret, President of the Chamber of Deputies, and his wife. Ambassador Wallace, dean of the Diplomatic Corps, in the absence of the Italian Ambassador, and Mrs. Wallace, were the guests of honor.

Pierre de Fougues, of the French Ministry of Foreign Affairs, approached Ambassador Wallace in the reception room before the dinner, and said: "The German Ambassador desires to be presented to you."

"Can't you forget it?" inquired Mr. Wallace, who knows M. Fougues very well. "He is standing just behind me," replied M. Fougues. "He was very persistent. I did not wish to embarrass you."

"Tell him," said Mr. Wallace, "that I refuse to meet him." The German Ambassador was standing so near that he heard Mr. Wallace's reply and M. Fougues repeated the response to him.

News of the incident spread rapidly among the 115 guests, who included many of the most notable men in the public life of France. The incident was a surprise to many of the guests, who were surrounded by persons congratulating him, among whom were Philippe Berthelot, political director of the French Foreign Office, and Baron Hardinge, the new British Ambassador to France.

YEGGMEN CRACK SAFE IN RANDSBURG STORE.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
BARKERSFIELD, Dec. 16.—Sheriff Neppell was advised today that crooksmen secured \$2500 in cash from the safe in the Rand Mercantile Company's store at Randsburg, a mining town, 110 miles east of Bakersfield. The combination was knocked off the vault and an electric drill bored a hole in the safe, which was then blown open.

ELEVEN DIE IN RIOTING.

Officers in Manila in Fatal Clash.

Four Americans and Seven Filipinos Are Slain When Fight Opens.

Constabulary, Police Grudge Comes to Head; Harrison Takes Hand.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MANILA (P. I.) Dec. 16.—Eleven men, four Americans and seven Filipinos, were killed here last night during a riot within the walled city during a riot within the walled city during a riot within the walled city.

The Americans killed were Captains of Police W. E. Wichmann, Patrolman Albert B. Trobe and John W. Driscoll, and Augustus Jacuman, field clerk of the United States Army. Fifty shots were fired when forty constabularymen sought to avenge the shooting of a constabularyman by the Filipino police.

FIGHT AT STATION.
The riot occurred at the Luneta police station, just outside the walled city, and then proceeded within the walled city where promiscuous firing between the police and constabularymen took place.

Police reserves with riot guns rushed to the walled city, where hundreds of shots were exchanged. The Filipino killed included a patrolman driver and six bystanders. Four Filipinos were wounded. There were no casualties among the constabulary forces.

The enlisted personnel of the constabulary force is composed entirely of Filipinos. The organization numbers 1000 and is stationed in various precincts of the Philippines for police purposes.

CHARGE ENDS FIGHT.
Rioting ceased when Brig-Gen. Rafael Crame appeared on the scene with Chief of Police Hopp.

"Every precaution has been taken to prevent repetition of the affair," said Gen. Crame. Constabularymen surrendered without murmur when I appeared with Chief Hopp."

Col. Lucien R. Sweet, inspector-general of the constabulary, declared that before the rioting broke out between the constabulary and the police resulted from the arrest Sunday of a Filipino constabularyman by the police.

"Her clothing was torn and the circumstances were such as to make any real man's blood boil," he said. "Every precaution has been taken to prevent repetition of the affair," said Gen. Crame.

HARRISON APPEARS.
Gov.-Gen. Francis Burton Harrison and Gen. Crame found the constabulary congregated at the walled city and ordered them to return to their barracks. Disorders ceased when Gen. Crame, who placed members of the constabulary involved in the shooting under arrest, announced they would be tried before a civil court.

Mayor Ramon Fernandez declared the presence of the constabulary barracks in Manila was dangerous to the peace of the community and announced he would ask the Governor to have the barracks removed outside city limits.

POLICE VERSION.
The official police version of the shooting was that Policemen Maglio and Constabulary Private Macasinas as a result of trouble provoked by the constabulary men.

Col. Lucien R. Sweet, inspector-general of the constabulary, said trouble had been brewing for a long time, and frequently reached acute stages. Regular army troops were ordered into their barracks when the rioting broke out, and the provost guard doubled and sent to the scene, but took no part in quelling the riot.

FATHER FINDS SON AFTER TEN YEARS.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
STOCKTON, Dec. 16.—After a search of ten years Morris Boddy was today reunited with his son, Edward Boddy, the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Boddy to whom he had been given by his mother when a baby. Father and son have both been in New York where he had been with his father for the winter.

VICE-PRESIDENT ASKED BY HARDING TO SHARE IN SHAPING POLICIES

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
MARION (O.) Dec. 16.—Vice-President-elect Coolidge was formally invited today by President-elect Harding to sit in the Cabinet consultation and take an active part in shaping the policies of the coming administration.

The invitation was extended at a conference here at which, at Harding's suggestion, the two talked over in detail the question of Cabinet appointments and planned for an association of nations and many other problems involved in the assumption of executive authority next March.

Gov. Coolidge indicated that he would accept gladly such responsibilities as his chief might suggest and after the conference both expressed warmest gratification over the result of their talk. The Vice-President-elect declared that he was particularly pleased with the program made in the association of nations conference here and providing that Harding would work out an agreement between which the American people could stand united.

SEN. BRYAN TODAY.
It was not revealed what position Coolidge took towards preservation of the framework of the Versailles league in the building of a new world structure, nor what new suggestions he contributed to the discussions. The President-elect in his series of conferences tomorrow, Harding will see William Jennings Bryan and ask his advice about the new league and other questions of foreign policy.

Gov. Coolidge, accompanied by Mrs. Coolidge, reached Marion shortly before noon and remained as guests at the Marlborough House. During the afternoon the Governor was taken by Senator Bryan to the home of his wife, where he held an informal reception. Later the President and Vice-President-elect were seated at a large dinner table and Harding replied that as President, he would feel free to select his advisers as he saw fit, regardless of the practices of recent years.

"Quite aside from his relationship to my own status," said Gov. Coolidge after the conference, "I have been gratified at Senator Harding's declaration that he intends to make the Vice-President a more substantial part in the administration. To whatever extent it may be possible for me to be helpful, it will be a great pleasure for me to aid him and I intend to do so."

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BRITISH READ OUR CABLES.

Witnesses Make Startling Revelations at Senate Committee Hearing.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Direct testimony that American business messages sent over British cables during the war had come into the possession of British business interests was given to a Senate committee today by Capt. F. K. Hill, formerly an American naval attaché in South American countries.

The committee also learned from Newcomb Carlton, president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, that the British naval intelligence authorities now are holding up for examination all cable messages from Great Britain to the United States.

Carlton was unable to say whether messages to Great Britain or diplomatic messages of the American government were being subjected to such examination, but promised to let the committee know as to the latter.

GLARING INSTANCES.
Capt. Hill testified that the most glaring instances of the British eavesdropping into the hands of British concerns was when the General Electric Company submitted a bid for certain electrical installations for a Brazilian, who received next day a bid from an English concern to supply the same articles at a lower price than the American firm offered.

This testimony was added to further testimony by the committee into the general question of cable communications and the three-cornered controversy over the landing of a South American cable at Barbados, which involves a question of a British cable intercontinental monopoly in Brazil.

Carlton, in discussing the holding up of American messages in Great Britain, said there was some justification for the practice as the purpose was to throw light on internal disturbances in Great Britain, chiefly with reference to Ireland. He added his company had been firm stand on the matter but had been assured that no censorship would be imposed.

W. W. Hawkins, president of the United Press, told the committee that cable facilities were the chief limitation on distribution of American news abroad and said conditions were such that the fact that news could not get into South America all the news it desired to send there.

COMMUNICATIONS SLOW.
"The situation between the United States and Japan," he said, "is largely affected by the fact that communications are slow and limited."

"European countries realize the importance of news distributing. However, we don't want subsidies and prefer that American press associations be left free from influences that lead to the making of statutes, to allow naval radio stations to handle press and government dispatches. I don't think the heads of the cable companies would add to that because it would relieve them of a burden."

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SSMEN GIVEN FACTS

Explains Japanese Status in California in Papers.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

ONE 16.—A personal appeal has been sent by the United States Senator and member of the House of Representatives to the Japanese problem in California, as explained by the State Board of Control. The full text follows:

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DAVIS URGES FLOOD CONTROL

Plans to Store Water of the Colorado River.

Only Solution of Problem of Imperial Valley.

Report Discusses Huge Dam at Boulder Canyon.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Urging flood control of the Colorado River and the storing of the flood waters as the only permanent solution of the problem in the Imperial Valley, A. P. Davis, chief of the reclamation service of the Interior Department today placed before Congress his preliminary report on the new survey of Imperial Valley irrigation needs.

No recommendations accompanied the report but they will be supplied as soon as possible according to Secretary Payne. Experts in the department said no further data could be supplied for at least six days, and that therefore any action at this Congress on the all-American canal of other plans for relief of the Imperial Valley, would be impossible.

CONSERVE FLOOD WATERS. Mr. Davis in his report, now in the hands of Congress, said that the future usefulness of the Colorado River and the safety of the lands tributary to it lay in the conservation of the flood waters far above the flood danger points. He said that there appeared to be a large basin available at Boulder Canyon near the northern boundary of Arizona, if a dam could be built there, but that the preliminary surveys failed to show a good foundation.

Assuming that the dam could be built, he estimated that 25,000,000 acre-feet of water could be impounded by making a dam 1250 feet high. He also admitted that where the proposed dam is located the walls of the canyon rise to a height of 2000 feet, although he did not estimate water accumulation above the 1150-foot level.

AMOUNT INADEQUATE. Passing over Boulder Canyon with this brief reference Mr. Davis pointed out that much further up the river in the beds of the Grand, Green and Yampa Rivers there could be stored in round figures 1,400,000 acre feet of water, but while this was more feasible, as far as construction was concerned, the amount of water that could be impounded would be inadequate to irrigate all available land not now under cultivation, whereas this would not be true could the Boulder Canyon project be constructed.

Chief Engineer Mulholland was quoted in the report as agreeing that Los Angeles would co-operate in the taming of the Colorado River along any rational line, and when the proper time came they authorities would take appropriate action for such co-operation, both with regard to the use of water, and the consumption of power.

KING BLOCKS VOTE ON BUDGET MEASURE.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Demanding an opportunity to have the national budget bill passed over President Wilson's veto, Senator King, Democrat, Utah, blocked vote today on the measure which came to the Senate from the House amended to meet the objection raised by President Wilson that it would encroach on the powers of the Executive.

"I don't consider there is much merit in the constitutional objection the President made," said Senator King. "Let the bill go over until after the holidays and we may get a two-thirds vote to enact it in the strengthened form."

JOB SEEKERS OUT EARLY.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—A contracting firm advertised for twenty-five men today and such a large crowd responded that a detail of police had to be summoned to maintain order. Applicants were asked to call at 7:30 a.m., but they began to gather at 4 o'clock.

MIXED JURY TO TRY PUGILIST.

Ten Men and Two Women Sworn in as Talesmen.

Extra Precautions Taken to Avoid Any Violence.

Defense Will Make Attempt to Establish Alibi.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—A jury was selected late today to try Edmond (Spud) Murphy, prize fighter and alleged criminal gangster, for a serious offense against Miss Jessie Montgomery, a Reno girl, here. The prosecution's opening statement was delivered to the jury at a session of the court tonight by Dist. Atty. Matthew Brady.

Elaborate precautions were caused by the lynching in Santa Rosa of three alleged accomplices of Murphy's, who had been accused of murdering three peace officers, while being rounded up for alleged outrages. Throughout the day, all groups of people in the building were broken up by the police.

ACCENTUATED PUBLIC TEMPER. The defense in its line of questioning of prospective jurors accentuated the allegedly "inflamed" state of the public mind toward the defendant and four others, who are held jointly with him, to be tried later. It also asked what effect the lynchings would have on the minds of the talesmen. Two of the prospective jurors, one a woman, said they favored lynchings as the only remedy for the particular offenses charged against the defendants.

MURPHY UNCONCERNED. Murphy seemed unconcerned by the unusual preparations that have been made for his trial. He is the first to be tried of the group of alleged gangsters, whose activities here resulted in the murder of the three peace officers at the lynching of their suspects.

Murphy's four co-defendants are to be tried in quick succession. Both sides indicated that Murphy's trial might be concluded by Saturday. An attempt to prove that Murphy was not present when the attack was committed on the Montgomery girl, is to be made during the trial. It was indicated by defense questions to prospective jurors.

BUTTE MINE DISTRICT WAGES ARE REDUCED.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

BUTTE (Mont.) Dec. 16.—Basic wages of miners and all crafts employed in and around the copper and other mines of the Butte district will be reduced \$1 per day, effective Jan. 30, 1921, according to announcement made today.

The reduction is reported, according to the companies, to avoid a complete shut down of mining operations as a result of the adverse market conditions. The wage cut here follows reductions in Michigan, Arizona, Idaho and other western States, made for the same reason, according to information advanced at the time the reductions were made.

Approximately 8500 employees in Butte, Great Falls and Anaconda are affected by the reduction of pay. YOUNGSTOWN (O.) Dec. 16.—Heads of independent steel plants here indicated today that the mills will be practically idle from the end of this week until the first of the year, owing to a lack of orders. The contemplated suspension would affect about 20,000 workers.

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MAKES PLEA FOR RIGID ECONOMY.

Mondell in House Would Cut Estimates.

Wyoming Man Criticizes Wilson Administration.

Declares Taxes Can be Materially Reduced.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Declaration in the House today by Representative Mondell of Wyoming, the Republican leader, that Congress should cut departmental appropriation estimates, especially those from the War and Navy departments, by nearly a billion and a half dollars, started a round of political debate that occupied most of the session. Mr. Mondell's criticism of Army and Navy estimates, made in the course of a prepared speech on government finances, brought a defense from Representatives Hardy and Connally, Democrats of Texas, for Secretaries Baker of the War Department, and Daniels of the Navy Department. This led to charges by Representative Mondell, Representative Blanton (Dem.) of Texas, and others, that the War Department head "was spending money not authorized by Congress" and that the Navy Department chief had presented estimates "so extravagant that they cannot be described."

Rigid economy in appropriations to lighten the tax burden was urged by the Republican leader who said that the total submitted estimates of \$4,652,800,000 should be scaled down by \$1,400,000,000. Army and Navy estimates were criticized as five and a half times the highest peace-time appropriations of 1914. The estimates, Mr. Mondell said, also might be further swollen indefinitely by deficiencies, resulting, he said, from the War Department's policy of recruiting the Army up to full strength.

SCORING ADMINISTRATION. "Two years after the war," the Republican leader added, "when the world outside our borders is largely bankrupt and everybody is praying for reduction of armaments, the administration asks for an appropriation of more than \$1,414,000,000 for the Army, Navy and fortifications, or five and a half times the highest peace-time appropriation of 1914."

Mondell declared these figures did not include current deficiencies which "may be swollen indefinitely" if the War Department continued its policy of recruiting the Army up to full strength, contrary to the understanding that it should be reduced above the total of 178,000 men contemplated by the appropriations.

He said it had become the duty of Congress to take action that would prevent "such squandering of the people's money by creating deficiencies in violation of law."

LIGHTEN TAX BURDEN. Asserting that if the economy in appropriations was carried out the tax burden for the calendar year 1921 might be "substantially lightened," Mondell said he believed continuation of a tax program designed to raise the minimum revenue of \$4,000,000,000 for two years, as recommended by the Secretary of the Treasury, was "unjustified."

With 44 per cent of the net cost of the war, excluding foreign loans, already paid, he said, it was unnecessary to "keep up war rates of taxation for the purpose of reducing the public debt, at a time greatly in excess of the sinking fund rate applied to the entire debt."

While he favored repeal of the excess profits tax and reduction of the higher income surtaxes, Mondell said, he thought it unnecessary at this time to consider alternative revenue provisions because "no one can tell what increased revenues may result from the passage of a tariff bill or a protective line."

BOYS BARRED FROM CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

MUST ALSO GO TO BED EARLY FOR MONTH IS SENTENCE OF NEW YORK COURT.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Recorder John B. Lander of West Orange, N. J., sentenced three boys today to receive no Christmas presents, to be barred from participation in Christmas festivities, and to go to bed at 8:30 every evening for a month, including Christmas eve.

The boys are between ten and twelve years of age. Their names were withheld. Their parents were present. The boys all attend the Sunday school of St. Cloud, a Roman Catholic church. After Sunday school, a few weeks ago, they broke a window in the school building and stole pencils, erasers and other articles. A week later they took \$2 from a teacher's desk. On December 5, during evening church services, they put dirt into lamps of an automobile brought to the church by the Rev. Alfred Reyman. They stole a watch from the instrument board and so damaged the machine that the clergyman could not start it after the services.

With their hands upraised, the boys repeated these promises after the recorder in court today: "I will see Mr. Reyman as soon as possible and ask pardon and forgiveness. I will apologize to the teachers and will submit to whatever punishment my parents mete out, according to the verdict given by the court. I will never again touch property not belonging to me and I promise not to enter any premises for unlawful purposes. I am sorry for what I have done and expect that if I do such things again, I shall receive all the punishment this court shall inflict."

EMIGRATION FROM BELGIUM INCREASES.

GAIN WILL BE FORTY PER CENT IS ESTIMATE OF AMERICAN CONSUL-GENERAL.

(BY CABLE-EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

BRUSSELS, Dec. 16.—Emigration from Belgium will show about a forty per cent increase, according to estimates made by the American consul-general at Brussels. During the last year 7000 Belgians have been granted visas for the United States. Next year about 10,000 will go. There has been a big increase since the proposal for a year's ban on immigration.

Seventy per cent of the emigrants are agricultural laborers from Flanders. Twenty per cent are coal miners and the other ten per cent are industrial workers.

Antwerp, the port from which most of the emigrants are sailing, is crowded with emigrants of other nationalities. It is the clearing-house for the Poles, Czechs, Slovaks and Central empire traffic. Steamship companies could book double the number of passengers for their ships if they had sufficient space.

FARMER IDENTIFIES SUSPECTED ROBBER.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Albert Lawrence, Hayward, farmer, today identified James Carey, held here for trial for assault upon girls, as one of the men who held him up and took his automobile from him the day the bank of Alameda county was robbed two months ago.

From twenty men lined up at the jail here, Lawrence pointed out Carey and James Anson, arrested on a San Francisco burglary charge, as men who, with revolvers, compelled him to relinquish his car to them.

Two other men were with Carey and Anson at the time, Lawrence said.

OAKLAND, Dec. 16.—A few minutes after the bank of Alameda county at Alvarado had been robbed on October 12 by four bandits, the bandits were taken to the county jail here, Lawrence pointed out.

August May, president of the bank, was shot and severely wounded by the bandits.

FEARS PUNISHMENT; TRIES TO END LIFE.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)

MARTIN, Dec. 16.—Fear of punishment for cutting classes in the Fresno High School, where he was a student, led Chester Duncan, 14 years old, to attempt suicide, he told Probation Officer McMahon here today. The boy was taken from a train here yesterday in an unconscious condition after taking a drug.

Prof. John H. Austin, over 40 years a bacteriologist, hair and scalp specialist, who now has offices at Hamburg's, points out some of the reasons for an increase in baldness among men.

Prof. Austin is probably right in saying that about one man in every hundred ever thinks about his hair, at all, except to comb it two or three times a day. If it falls out he looks anxiously at the falling hair and then promptly forgets it until the next time he uses a comb.

A man will give the utmost attention to his teeth, because he knows that when trouble arises he will have to stop work and probably lose his teeth if he doesn't go to a dentist promptly, but his hair doesn't ache, it just gradually dies, and when it is nearly gone, and the roots are dead, he anxiously tries a dozen different remedies at once and then resigns himself to baldness.

Prof. Austin says the use of dandruff cures, massage cures and hair tonics is like taking medicine without knowing what you are trying to cure. The particular trouble with which your scalp is afflicted must be known before it can be intelligently treated.

FREE MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATION of the hair and scalp—both men and women invited—Private of floor, Second Floor, Hamburg's, Hours 10 to 12 and 2 to 4.—(Advertisement.)

NO EXTRA DIVIDEND DECLARED BY MARINE.

(BY A. P. MIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Directors of the International Marine Corporation today declared the regular semiannual dividend of 8 per cent on preferred stock, but took no action on an extra dividend of dividends still in arrears on that issue.

Their failure to do so was attributed to general shipping conditions, which make it advisable for the company to conserve its financial resources.

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A True Story

Mother: Bobbie, what do you want for Christmas?
Bobbie: A two-wheeled bicycle, Mother.

Mother: In case you can't have a bicycle what else would you like?
Bobbie: If I can't have a bicycle, Mother, I'd just as soon be dead.

No need for the little folks to be unhappy at Christmas time, when John T. Bill & Co. have, several carloads of Special Friend Your Bicycles to make your boy and girl happy—Cash or terms.

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ANTISTRIKE ACT PASSES SENATE

Pointdexter Bill Goes Through
Without Roll Call.

Penalizes Interference With
Interstate Commerce.

Opponents to Measure An-
nounce a Contest.

(BY A. P. MONT WIRE.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—An-
other controversy in Congress over
antistrike legislation was launched
today through passage by the Sen-
ate of the Pointdexter bill to penal-
ize interference with interstate
commerce.

Less than a dozen Senators were
present when the bill went through
without a word of discussion or a
roll call, but opponents, rushing in
late, announced a contest. Senator
La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin,
filed a motion to reconsider the vote,
which holds the bill in the Senate
until disposal of the reconsideration
motion. When the La Follette mo-
tion would be taken up, was not de-
termined.

CRITICIZED BY UNIONS.

The bill as introduced by Senator
Pointdexter, Republican, Washington,
and passed today, would not prevent
individuals from quitting their em-
ployment but does impose penalties
for persons who, with intent to ob-
struct interstate commerce, advise,
persuade or use force toward in-
cluding common carriers' operatives
to cease work. The measure, which
has been criticized vigorously by
labor leaders, was presented at the
last session after the House had
refused to accept the antistrike
clause in the transportation act
proposed by the Senate.

The Senate passed the bill today
while the clerk was reading
minor bills on the routine calendar
under a unanimous consent agree-
ment.

Objection of a single Senator

MANY ARE SEEKING DIPLOMATIC POSTS.

GREAT PRESSURE IS BEING
BROUGHT ON HARDING;
MANY MEN MENTIONED.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

MARION (C.) Dec. 16.—Great
pressure is being brought upon
President-elect Harding in the field
of diplomatic appointments, which
will be at his disposal when he takes
office next month.

This pressure is both social and
political as the period of recon-
struction and change in Europe,
the situation opening in Latin
America and the grave problem of
the Orient hold great opportunities
in prestige, honors and service for
men who in the old quiet days might
not have cared to take positions of
this sort. The names being urged
upon Harding include:

DIPLOMATIC CANDIDATES.
Myron T. Herrick of Ohio, former
Ambassador to France, said to as-
pire to the post of St. James, al-
though France has indicated wish
to have him back. Charles H. Shor-
rill, New York lawyer, Minister to
the Argentine under Taft, organizer
of great parades. Said to be under
consideration for Europe or Japan.

Lloyd C. Griscom, former Min-
ister to Turkey, transferred to Japan.
In mind for Japan.

Frank A. Vandervort, New York
banker, president of the New York
Society of New York, has just returned
from Japan. Friends urge him for
this post.

Gov. Lowden of Illinois, under
consideration for European post.
Raymond Robins of Chicago, men-
tioned as available if relations with
Russia are straightened out.

William H. Collier of New York,
mentioned for Spain.

Edmund Morgan of New York,
Ambassador to Brazil, said to want
to return.

Col. Hayward of New York, who
married the widow of Morton F.
Plant, headed One Hundred and
Sixty-ninth Infantry in the war,
said to be in line for any big diplo-
matic post.

RECEIVED MONEY FOR "EXPENSES"

Labor Leader Grilled at Build-
ing Trust Hearing.

National Erectors' Witnesses
Have Stormy Session.

Spectators Ejected After Clash
With Undermyer.

(BY A. P. MONT WIRE.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Despite
defiant witnesses and numerous in-
terruptions from spectators, three of
whom were ejected from the meet-
ing room, the joint legislative com-
mittee investigating the alleged
"building trust" today continued its
investigation into the "open shop"
activities of the National Erectors'
Association.

Clash after clash between wit-
nesses and fiscal Undermyer, the
committee's chief counsel, marked the proceed-
ings.

Walter Drew, counsel and labor
commissioner for the association
was the first person elected for in-
vestigation. He was followed by
Charles E. Undermyer, chief counsel.
A few minutes later, W. W. Corlett,
general solicitor for the American
Bridge Company, and A. L. Davis,
also an official of the United States
Steel Corporation subsidiary, were
admitted to leave for alleged prompt-
ing of a witness.

STORMY SESSION.
Capt. Robert J. Foster, a private
detective, alleged to head the
espionage system of the Erectors'
Association, had a stormy session on
the witness stand, and was twice
adjudged in contempt for refusing to
produce the reports of his secret
agents in the steel industry and in
union organizations.

Testimony purporting to show
that the National Erectors' Asso-
ciation had worked in conjunction with
the United States Steel Corporation,
was given by Charles E. Undermyer,
secretary of the association, who ad-
mitted Drew had given him his in-
structions to alter the records by
making omissions relative to meet-
ings at which relations with the
corporation were discussed.

Vice-President Joseph Hatfield of
the American Bridge Company, a
subsidiary of the steel corporation,
admitted that Post and McCord,
open shop iron erectors, handled all
of the company's steel in the metro-
politan district.

DENIALS BY UNIONISTS.
William Bowman of New York,
president, and William Deboan of
Indianapolis, secretary of the Brick-
layers', Masons' and Plasterers' In-
ternational Union, denied testimony
given last week by G. W. Fertig, sec-
retary of the Marble Industry Em-
ployers' Association, that he had
paid them various sums, amounting
to \$4500 in gratuities.

Thomas Preece of Chicago, inter-
national vice-president of the union,
admitted, however, he had re-
ceived \$1500 from Fertig for "con-
ventions" in connection with the in-
ternational union's 1920 convention
at Cleveland. Stating he had never
original testimony, Fertig took the
stand and declared he had paid the
International Bricklayers', Masons'
and Plasterers' officials \$4500 in
various sums, of which \$1000, he
said, was paid to Bowman in cash at
the Park-avenue Hotel, December
1919, for "expenses." He said
he had also made other payments to
the union chief, as well as to
Preece and to Deboan. Fertig,
however, exonerated Deboan, de-
claring that the union official had
later returned him the \$850 he had
given him.

SAYS IT WASN'T BRIBE.
The witness asserted the money
was paid the labor leaders voluntarily
and was not in the nature of a
bribe. He said that the money was
entered on the association's books as
"general expenses."

The union officials appeared be-
fore the committee voluntarily,
Dobson denied he had received
money for any purpose from the
marble industry employers. He
said that his expenses in coming to
New York to adjust labor troubles
were paid by the international union.

He declared Fertig's testimony
to be a "brazen falsehood" but ad-
mitted he had learned that Preece
had taken \$1500 for "convention
expenses."

Bowman, who said his salary is
\$10,000 a year, denied Fertig's
testimony, adding "I have never in
my life, or in our association with
each other, received any cash from
him."

The witness also denied the
testimony made by a marble con-
tractor that he had been put out
of the business by the union's re-
fusal to give him union men be-
cause he had failed to join the Mar-
ble Industry Employers' Association.
Bowman admitted, however, that
the international union's executive
board had endorsed the entire "code
of practices" of the National Asso-
ciation of Marble Dealers, which
would compel builders to accept the
lowest bid of the members of the
association under the penalty of be-
ing denied union workmen.

SPENT FOR "REFRESHMENTS."
Vice-President Preece denied he
had used the \$1500 given him by
Fertig to get votes in the conven-
tion but declared he spent it for
"refreshments and many things."
Capt. Foster defied the commit-
tee's counsel the entire time he was
on the stand and appeared greatly
agitated when an alleged record was
read by Undermyer, showing he had
served a year in prison and had
been dishonorably discharged from
the Army.

Foster protested against this be-
ing used against him, asserting "my
record is absolutely honorable—I
am the father of six children and
have a home and don't care a rap
for you or any other lying b—
—."

After being adjudged in contempt
twice for refusal to produce his
secret agents' reports, Undermyer
flashed the witness.

GERMANS PLEAD FOR MERCY FROM ALLIES.

REPARATION COMMISSION TOLD
OF "DARK ECONOMIC SIT-
UATION" AND PERILS.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BRUSSELS, Dec. 16.—Economic
experts of five of the principal Al-
lied powers and Germany met here
today in the first of a series of
meetings to determine what Ger-
many must pay for war reparations.
Delegates from the Allied nations
appeared, hopeful that the session,
which will last probably a week or

ten days, would be fruitful of re-
sults.

The German representatives gave
an impression of being on the de-
fensive.

The first meeting was called to
order with former Premier Dela-
croix of Belgium presiding.

The morning session was occu-
pied with a depiction by Herr
Schroeder, German Undersec-
retary of Finance, of Germany's dark
economic outlook. He said he
hoped the Allies would not "put
the knife to Germany's throat."

World Bar Potato Imports.
(BY A. P. MONT WIRE.)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—A one-
year embargo on imports of po-
tatoes is proposed in a bill intro-
duced today by Representative Hen-
sey, Republican, of Maine.

ONE DOSE
often cures
Enrich Your Blood
Give you new strength and
vitality, while you are
taking it. It is a
take it long just as it
gives you a new
iron will get better
stronger. Over 4,000,000
it. Try a package today
and see to what it will
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Hoffman's "Betsy Ross"
Chocolates
An assortment of delightful Chocolate
Creams, including Butter Scotch and
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85c; 1 lb. package \$1.50; 2 lb. pack-
age \$3.00.

Jevne's Chocolates
A product of unquestioned quality—
packed in extremely attractive boxes.
Jevne's Supreme Chocolates, 1 lb. \$1.75
Jevne's Tete-a-tete Chocolates, 1
lb. 2.00
Jevne's Milk Chocolates, 1/2 lb. .75
Jevne's Milk Chocolates, 1 lb. 1.50

Watkins' "Rose of Panama"
Chocolates
Dutch style confections. An unusual
package at an unusual price. 1 lb. \$1.00
WATKINS' Assorted Fruit Chocolates.
A varied assortment of delicious juicy
cherries and pineapple dipped in milk
chocolate. 1 lb. \$1.50

Lowney's Chocolates
In this famous brand we carry a vast
wide variety of packages and contents.
LOWNEY'S "RED CREST" CHOCO-
LATES, 1/2 lb., \$1.00; 1 lb., \$1.75; 2 lb.,
\$3.50; 3 lb., \$4.50; 5 lb., \$8.00.
LOWNEY'S "FANCYFUL" 1 lb.
\$1.75; 2 lb., \$3.00.
LOWNEY'S "MEDAL OF HONOR" 1
lb., \$1.75; 2 lb., \$3.00.

Johnson's Milwaukee
Chocolates
This deservedly popular confection is
featured at all "SUN" Candy Depart-
ments.
JOHNSON'S MALTED MILK CHOC-
OLATES, 1/2 lb., 90c; 1 lb., \$1.75.
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CONGRESS TO HELP FARMERS.

Senate and House Bodies
Plan Conference.

May Place Import Duty on
Wheat and Wool.

Revival of War Finance
Board is Favored.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Members of the Senate Finance and the House Ways and Means committees will meet in joint conference tomorrow to formulate an emergency program of tariff legislation to act as an embargo and give relief to the farmers from the decline in prices.

Decision to hold the conference was reached late today by Republican members of the committee who agreed that speedy action was necessary. They determined also to make the program non-political if the minority members would co-operate.

Primary consideration will be given to import duties on wheat and wool, the producers of which, Chairman Fordney of the Ways and Means Committee, said were now practically broke as the result of falling prices. The portion of the program relating to the tariff was declared, however, to be more comprehensive and to include consideration of protective levies on sources of farm commodities. Possibility of the conference deciding to wipe out the free list of the Underwood Tariff Act was declared to be within range of action.

RUSH EMERGENCY LAW.

Re-enactment of portions of the Dingley tariff also was being talked of among the more ardent high tariff supporters. Mr. Fordney, however, said he was in favor of rushing through the emergency protection for wheat and wool and a few other commodities and letting other tariff matters go over for hearings and further consideration. Clamor for relief legislation of a tariff nature with duties so high they would serve practically as an embargo, may be too strong a tide to be halted, conservative supporters of the program contended.

One of the forces in the House seeking relief for the farmers solidified itself today into a compact body, which its leaders declare will be continued as a Congressional organization. Republican and Democratic members from agricultural districts began consideration of a definite policy for dealing with pending relief legislation and a report will be prepared by a special committee for presentation to the full conference next Monday.

TO REVIVE WAR BOARD.

While these two movements, dealing with farmer and business relief legislation, were in progress, the House Banking and Currency Committee voted to report favorably the Senate resolution directing revival of the war finance corporation to assist in financing the exportation of agricultural and other products. The House committee struck out the clause, declaring in the opinion of Congress that the Federal Reserve Board take action to permit its member banks to grant liberal extensions of credit to farmers.

The vote in the House committee was seven to six, members from the South and West supporting the resolution with those from the East and New England opposing it. Chairman McFadden was one of those opposing the resolution.

Action of the committee followed an all day session, at which Secretary

Houston advised against the revival of the war finance corporation on the ground that such a policy would be unsound, and Eugene Meyer, Jr., head of the corporation when it suspended activity last May, urged its re-establishment.

PROTEST CHANGE IN BILL.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16.—A resolution protesting against an amendment to the Capper-Niseman bill, passed by the Senate yesterday, was adopted at a conference of representatives of farm organizations here today. The resolution asserted the amendment, which states that nothing in the bill should conflict with existing legislation, nullifies that feature of the measure which allows collective marketing of agricultural products.

Farmers from more than a dozen States met today to decide on action to afford the relief they assert is necessary on account of conditions resulting from the decline in price of their products.

Delegates declared present prices mean bankruptcy, and emphasized their belief they were not due to the law of supply and demand.

The conference was called by the national board of farm organizations. The representation is principally from the grain and cotton producing sections of the country, officers said.

WANTS FOOD CONTROL

AS PERMANENT LAW.

PREVENT HOARDING OF NECESSARIES, DECLARES FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Recommendation that sections of the Food Control Act be made a permanent law to prevent hoarding of food, fuel, clothing and building material, were made today by the Federal Trade Commission, in a report of its inquiry made by direction of Congress into the recent sugar situation.

The commission said the marked advance in sugar prices late in 1919 and early this year could have been prevented in part by a continuation of government control until more stable trade conditions had been reached.

"The chief difficulty in the sugar trade with the government no longer directing distribution lay in speculation and hoarding," the report said. "When the Food Administration became defunct there was no organization adequately

equipped to discover and punish speculators."

Warning against overestimates in crop reports was given.

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WASHINGTON NEWS IN BRIEF.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Philippine Commissioner De Veyra stated the Filipinos would accept independence without American protection and would press for immediate action on the King independence bill.

More testimony in regard to British control of American cable communications to the disadvantage of Americans was furnished the Senate committee on interstate commerce.

The Senate passed the Poincaré bill to prohibit interference with commerce by forbidding strikes on railroads.

Taking issue with Secretary of the Treasury Houston with respect to the retirement of the public debt, Representative Mondell spoke in the House favoring an actual reduction in taxes below the basis of \$4,000,000 annually following the present fiscal year approved by Houston.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels told the House Naval Affairs Committee he was disappointed with the development of our submarine program.

Agreement to rush emergency tariff legislation providing duties on agricultural products through Congress before the holidays was reached tentatively at a conference of Republican members of the Senate Finance Committee and House Ways and Means Committee.

A decrease in employment in November is noted in the monthly report of the Bureau of Labor statistics.

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Cabinet at Belgrade Resigns.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BELGRADE, Dec. 16.—The Cabinet, headed by Dr. Miletich, resigned.

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MARTIAL LAW IN BOHEMIA.

Six Workers Killed in Clash With Troops.

Twelve Members of Revolutionary Body Arrested.

Strikers Seize Sugar Refineries, Big Estates.

(BY CARL AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

PRAGUE, Dec. 16.—Martial law has been declared at Brno, a town in Bohemia, fourteen miles north of Brno, by the Czechoslovakian government in consequence of a clash between troops and strikers during which six workmen were killed and fifteen wounded.

Martial law also has been declared in Brno, capital of Moravia, and in the Moravia town of Hodonin, Hodonin (Gooding) and Trebitch.

MIXED SITUATION.

The strike situation throughout the republic is a mixed one. Work has been resumed in some factories and mines, while other plants are closing the strike. The strike of Prague, however, regards the attempt to bring about a general strike as a failure.

Twelve members of the so-called revolutionary committee of Klado, near Prague, have been arrested and brought to the capital.

Interurban telephone service has been suspended by the government. Throughout the republic there were seizures of sugar refineries and big estates, especially in the neighborhood of the various strike centers.

EXPECT MOBILIZATION.

The mobilization of the Soviet and Red, the patriotic gymnastic organizations of workers, is expected to be ordered shortly. The maintenance of order probably will be entrusted to their combined efforts, it is said, as the government is disinclined to use troops for the purpose.

Inasmuch as the National Socialists have considerable strength in Brno and it was presumed that some of these might be among the demonstrators, the reports of the disorders there, when read, in the Parliament, caused an interruption until the National Socialists could be persuaded to vote for the government's demand for martial law and military measures. These were finally approved by all the Czech parties, except the left wing. The German parties declined their support to the government.

OFFER TO MEDIATE.

Representatives of the union of Czechoslovak Legionaries yesterday and explained their standpoint on the crisis. They expressed their willingness to serve as mediators between the right and left wings of the Social Democratic party, the clash over which control has resulted in rioting and precipitated the general strike order.

President Masaryk then received the leaders of the left wing. Deputies Skolawa and Vaneek, Deputy Skolawa declared in the Chamber yesterday that President Masaryk was the only person the left wing could trust as a mediator.

PARIS, Dec. 16.—Attempts which have been made by Communists in Czechoslovakia to overthrow the government and seize power in that nation have failed entirely, according to the latest dispatches to the French Foreign Office. The Czechoslovak government, it is declared, is emerging from the turmoil of the past fortnight in a strong position. The Communist leaders have been imprisoned, the advice state, and the Communist newspapers have been suppressed.

The worst disorders, according to reports here, were at Klado, Solhan and Reichenberg and in the suburbs of Prague, where constitutional guarantees were suspended.

All the public buildings in the country, it is announced, are in possession of the government and guarded by troops, while all the big estates and business establishments seized at the beginning of the trouble have been restored to their owners.

KU KLUX KLAN NOTE.

WARNS UNDESIRABLES.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

ANNISTON (Ala.) Dec. 16.—Type-written notices signed "Ku Klux Klan," and purporting to have been issued by the local branch of that organization, warning Jews, undesirable and anonymous letter writers that the Klan stood ready to back up constituted authority in a vice crusade launched a week ago, were found posted today in various parts of the city.

Auto Death Harvest Grows.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Murders and suicides were fewer in Chicago this year than in 1919, but automobiles killed eighty-one persons more than in 1919 and were the cause of more deaths than anything else, according to the report of Coroner Peter Hoffmann.

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JAPS' MESSAGE COMMENT.

Newspapers Think It Strange Wilson Ignored League in Document.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Criticism of President Wilson's last message to Congress by the newspapers in Japan was made public here today by the Japanese Consulate. According to the Japanese Consulate advice, the Tokyo Yomiuri of December 16 commented:

"President Wilson says Americans should espouse the cause of right of justice, but it is curious to note that America's attitude is becoming increasingly contrary to this principle of late. The Presidential message makes no reference whatever to the League of Nations nor to Japanese questions."

"IT IS DEPLORABLE."

"It goes without saying that no particular authority should be attached to utterance of the outgoing President, but it is deplorable, for the sake of Americans, that they should more and more be led to lose sight of justice and in consequence of this, the problem is disposed of will show how far America observes the principles of justice and humanity."

The Tokyo Nichi-Nichi of December 16 commented:

"The League of Nations Assembly postponed until its next meeting the question of amending the covenant, in opposition to the proposition of the Argentine delegates. Was not this for the purpose of paving the way for America's entrance? In such case the American government, even if America has not yet formally joined the League, ought to make efforts, as far as circumstances allow, to contribute to the development of the League."

"But President Wilson, its sponsor, does not say a single word regarding it in his Congressional message. If he really believed that right makes might, why should he fail to utter his message the necessity of joining the League and trying to dispel the misunderstanding entertained by Americans and the world generally? The present attitude of President Wilson is strange, to say the least."

ROMANCE OF CIVIL WAR RECALLED BY WOMAN'S BEQUEST

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SALEM (Mass.) Dec. 16.—A romance of the Civil War was recalled by two bequests of \$100 each to "Jack" Galligan on \$2500 bond an hour after Judge Landis had sentenced him to a year in prison for violation of a Federal injunction. As a result, the drive against the liquor dealers who openly flaunt the Federal State and city laws has lost much of its momentum.

The action by Judge Alschuler directly effects 108 cases now pending under the injunction clause of the Volstead Act. In these cases, the defendant is found guilty, the presiding judge can order his release for a year. But he can impose a fine of \$1000 or more, or can put on a contempt charge. He can be sentenced to a year in prison, but can cut off six months of this term by appealing and putting up a \$2500 bond. With business flourishing as it is in the illicit booze industry, he can earn this bond in two or three days. Hence the saloon world is rejoicing. It believes it has found a big loophole in the Volstead Act.

AMERICAN DIPLOMAT MARRIES IN LONDON.

(BY CARL AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LONDON, Dec. 16.—William Smith Howell of Texas, formerly second secretary of the American Embassy in London, and now secretary to the Legation in Prague, Czechoslovakia, will marry Miss Charlotte A. Barth of Denver in St. Margaret's, Westminster, tomorrow afternoon.

The bride will be given away by John W. Davis, the American Ambassador, and J. Butler Wright, counselor of the Embassy, will be best man.

SERIOUS SPLIT NEAR IN LATIN CONGRESS.

(BY CARL AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SAN SALVADOR (Republic of Salvador) Dec. 16.—A serious split in the conference of representatives of the Central American republics, called in San Jose, Costa Rica, to plan a union of the five countries, is indicated in advice received from San Jose today.

While urgent efforts are being made to constitute the Central American Union, the separatists have announced they will call a popular meeting to protest against its formation.

CHICAGOANS REJOICE OVER DRY LOOPHOLE.

PROHIBITIONISTS AND LANDS DEALT HARD BLOW BY JUDGE'S ACTION.

(REUTERS DISPATCH.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Liquor sellers were rejoicing today over the first serious blow dealt Federal Judge Landis and the prohibition authorities of the State, county and city in their efforts to clean the city of the illegal booze traders.

Judge Samuel Alschuler dealt the blow when he issued an order releasing "Jack" Galligan on \$2500 bond an hour after Judge Landis had sentenced him to a year in prison for violation of a Federal injunction. As a result, the drive against the liquor dealers who openly flaunt the Federal State and city laws has lost much of its momentum.

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RAILROADS CITED.

Carl Calvin, national commander of the World War Veterans, told the committee Congress had provided the means for compensating the railroad and other industries taken over during the war, and that the former soldiers felt they should have equal treatment.

Max Frederick W. Galbraith, Jr., of Cincinnati, national commander of the American Legion, said Congress should find the means of meeting these claims. Mr. Bettman expressed a similar view, saying it was not for the Legion to advise when or how "the debtor" should pay.

Some Senators did not agree with the Legion spokesmen that large numbers of the soldiers would accept homesteads or other features of the bill in lieu of the cash bonus proposed as one of the alternate plans of compensation. Mr. Galbraith thought a campaign of education would reduce the number who favored a cash payment by the government.

SERVICE ATTACKED.

Mal Galbraith sharply attacked the administration for the treatment of disabled service men. He said Congress had been liberal with

LEGION FOR TAX BONUS.

Leaders for Veterans Tell House Committee They Want Quick Action.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The American Legion will defend the tax plan in the House bill granting adjusted compensation to former service men, but it will not defend delay by Congress in passing the measure, the Senate Finance Committee was told today by Gilbert Bettman, a member of the Legion's executive committee.

Senator McChamber, North Dakota, acting chairman of the committee, had advanced the condition of the treasury as a reason for suggesting postponement of action until 1922 or 1923. He said treasury reports indicated a deficit of \$1,250,000,000 on January 1, \$2,500,000,000 on next June 30, and \$1,500,000,000 at the end of the next fiscal year.

"We all may be for a policy of retrenchment said Mr. Bettman, but let's not retrench when the former come back at an economic disadvantage."

Funds for this purpose, but that the Federal agencies charged with carrying on the work had not operated and functioned properly.

R. G. Woodruff of Pittsburgh, commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, urged immediate passage of the House measure, declaring that all the men asked was a square deal. Proposing a substitute bill for vocational training and, some form of government loans for homes, Sam Lowenstein, chairman of the Rank and File Veterans Association, declared that all former soldiers opposed the pending measure that all wanted a cash bonus and that they wanted it to come "from the war profiteers."

HOW TO BE HEALTHY.

If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular and your stomach and liver in good working order. This is easily done by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets strengthen the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. They only cost a quarter. (Advertisement.)

RECOMMENDS DEATH SENTENCE BE METED.

NEBRASKA ATTORNEY-GENERAL WANTS CONVICTED MURDERERS TO DIE.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

LINCOLN (Nebr.) Dec. 16.—Atty.-Gen. Davis today announced he would recommend to Gov. McKelvie that the death sentences imposed upon Alton B. Cole and Alton Vincent Grammer be executed. The Governor had announced his action would be governed by the Attorney-General's recommendations.

Cole is under sentence to be electrocuted tomorrow, but it is considered likely that there will be a postponement as no executioner is available. The men were first sentenced to death three years ago from Howard county for the murder of Grammer's mother-in-law. Court action has brought about a dozen reprieves.

YOUTH KILLED BY TRAIN AT FRANKLIN.

ARMY SERGEANT'S SON'S BODY FOUND BESIDE WESTERN PACIFIC TRACKS.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 16.—A youth thought to be William F. Merrill, 19, son of L. E. Merrill, believed to be an officer at Fort Winfield Scott, San Francisco, was killed by a Western Pacific train near Franklin early today. The body was found lying between the track and a cattle guard.

How to be Healthy.

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DEATH
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THORNEY-GEN-
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TO DIE.

WEEK.
Dec. 16.—Atty-
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Cole and Al-
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but it is con-
there will be a
executioner is
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BY
FRANKLIN.

SON'S BODY
WESTERN
ACKS.

WEEK.
Dec. 16.—A
William F. Mar-
terrell, believed
Port Winfield
was killed by
near Frank-
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Dec. 16.—
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after having
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TWENTY INJURED IN
STREET CAR CRASH

ACCIDENT IN OAKLAND OCCUR-
WHEN BRAKES FAIL TO
WORK PROPERLY.

BY A. P. NEWS WIRE.
OAKLAND, Dec. 16.—Twenty
sons were injured, three seriously,
a rear-end collision between
street cars on San Pablo avenue
tonight.

Mrs. N. A. Herlitz and Mrs. G.
Delahanty, both of Berkeley, re-
ceived cuts, bruises and possible
internal injuries. Robert Herlitz,
years old, was severely cut about
face and body.

The accident occurred when
the cars stopped at a crossing
the motorman of the following
was unable to stop it.
The police said the brakes on
second car had failed to set properly.

BREAK GROUND TODAY

Crippled Children's Guild
Aims of New Hospital.

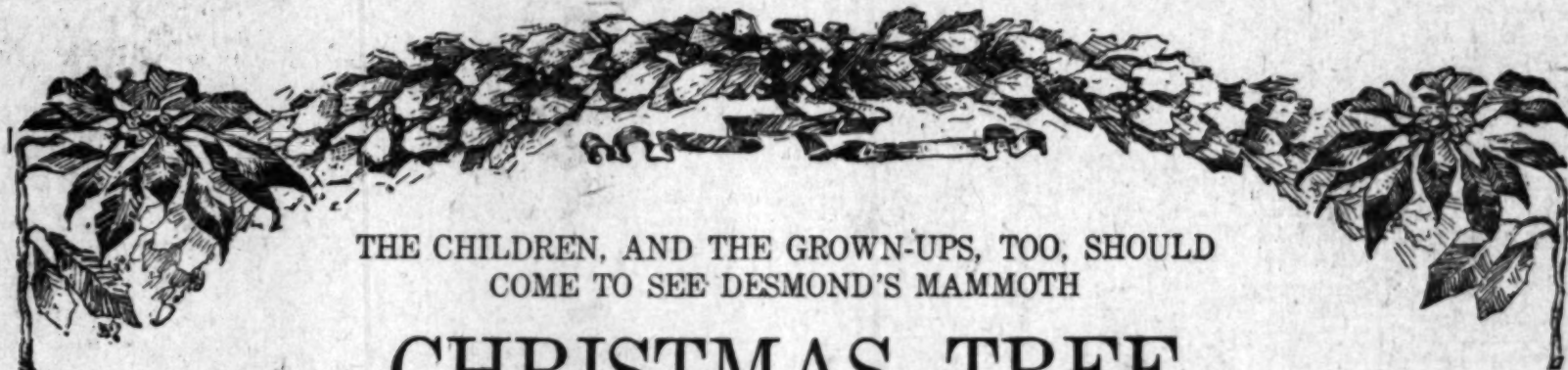
Ground will be broken for
erection of a new \$100,000
and school this afternoon at
7 o'clock, at the site owned by
Crippled Children's Guild, in
man Court, Palm Drive, near
Adams street. Dr. John Herlitz
who donated the site, will take
first shovelful of soil. The
institution will be known as
Orthopedic Hospital and
and will be equipped with
worth of furnishings and
ments. Eminent orthopedic
cians and surgeons are to
their services as members of
hospital staff.

BREAD PRICES DROP.

BY A. P. NEWS WIRE.
PITTSBURG, Dec. 16.—Bread
are cut of 1 1/2 cents in the price
a loaf of bread was announced
majority of the suppliers here
yesterday. Under the
prices, standard loaves will be
for 10 and 15 cents.

DESMOND'S MIGHT WELL BE CALLED THE MECCA OF CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

THIS IS READILY SUGGESTED BY THE ENTHUSIASTIC HOLIDAY SPIRIT SO
PREVALENT THROUGHOUT THE STORE.
AND ON EVERY HAND WE HEAR EXPRESSIONS OF APPRECIATION OF THE
VALUES OFFERED ON ALL THE ARTICLES TO BE FOUND HERE.



THE CHILDREN, AND THE GROWN-UPS, TOO, SHOULD
COME TO SEE DESMOND'S MAMMOTH

CHRISTMAS TREE

THE BOY'S SHOP (In Dad's Store)

BOYS APPRECIATE USEFUL GIFTS,
TOO, ESPECIALLY SOMETHING NICE
TO WEAR—AND OUR BOY'S SHOP IS
FULL TO OVERFLOWING WITH GIFTS
OF EVERYTHING A BOY WEARS FROM
HAT TO HOSE. HERE ARE A FEW OF
THE MANY:

- NECKWEAR, 50c TO \$1.50.
- HANDKERCHIEFS, 12 1/2c, 25c, 50c.
- BATHROBES, \$6 TO \$12.
- STOCKINGS, 60c.
- SPORT HOSE, 85c TO \$2.50.
- HALF HOSE, 40c TO 75c.
- SCARFS, \$1 TO \$2.50.
- SWEATERS, \$5.45 TO \$10.00.
- ANGORA GARMENTS, \$8.50.
- JUVENILE SUITS, \$8.50 TO \$16.50.
- TWO-TROUSER SUITS (SPECIAL
VALUE-STANDARD), \$18.45.
- HAND-TAILORED SUITS,
\$22.50 TO \$35.00.
- OVERCOATS, \$18.45 TO \$40.00.

THE SCHOOL AND COLLEGE SHOP OFFERS
GIFTS OF SWEATERS IN SCHOOL AND COL-
LEGE COLORS, ALSO MANY ATHLETIC ARTI-
CLES WHICH APPEAL TO YOUNG FELLOWS.

GIFTS THAT MEN LIKE

HERE IS A WONDERFUL COLLECTION, SELECTED
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THE WOMAN'S SHOP (In a Man's Store)

A REVELATION, ESPECIALLY TO THE
MAN WHO IS SEEKING SUITABLE, USE-
FUL GIFTS FOR A WOMAN.

- SILK HOSIERY, \$1.35 TO \$7.50.
- SPORT HOSE, \$3 TO \$5.
- HANDKERCHIEFS, WHITE,
25c TO \$1.50.
- COLORS SPORTS HANDKER-
CHIEFS, TOO.
- GLOVES—FRENCH KID AND
ARABIAN MOCHA.
- SHORT GLOVES, \$3 TO \$5.
- LONG GLOVES, \$5 TO \$10.
- PURSES AND BAGS, \$4.50 TO \$30.
- MARINETTE SWEATERS (WOOL)
\$16.50 TO \$25.
- SILK SWEATERS, \$35 TO \$65.
- SCARFS, \$5 TO \$30.
- UMBRELLAS, \$5 TO \$25.
- SILK UNDERWEAR—ITALIAN,
SATIN AND CREPE DE CHINE.

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NOVELTIES,
JEWELRY,
UMBRELLAS,
CANES.

MEN'S
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\$2.50 TO \$10

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HANDSOMELY TAILORED OF BROADCLOTHS,
SILKS AND VELVETS, IN PLEASING COLOR
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MANY COLORS AND PATTERNS, SHAWL OR
CONVERTIBLE COLLARS, SILK BRAID AND
CORD TRIMMED. AN EXCEPTIONALLY FINE
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SILK SHIRTS

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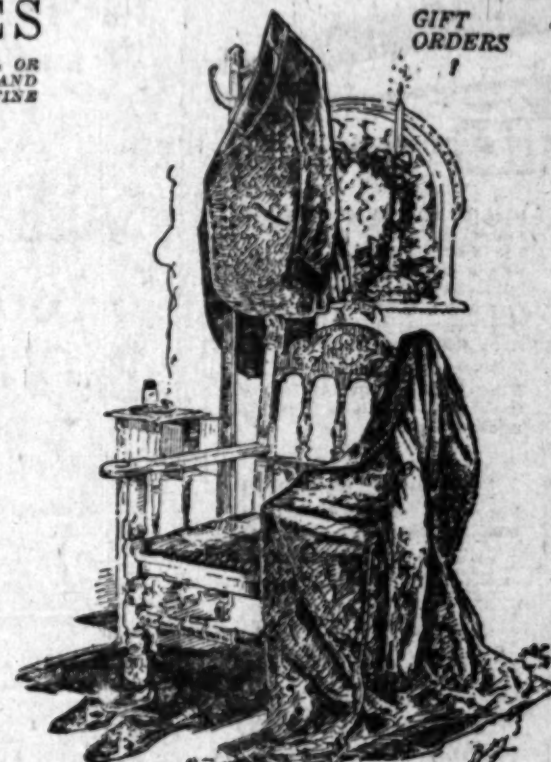
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The People and Their Daily Troubles

Turkish Women Quit Seclusion for Work in Outside World.

BY JANE DIXON.

We women are getting on. We have come a long way from the times wherein fair maidens spent the major portion of their youth courting spectacles by putting a billion or more stitches into a useless "sampler."

The tide has turned. It is women of all lands are being swept to freedom and accomplishment.

An expression of doubt as to all this? Hearken to this! In Constantinople Turkish women are engaged in the main occupation of street sweeping.

"I could not believe my eyes," says Mrs. Marie Bustanoby, who has recently returned from a visit to her mother in the Moslem city.

"I thought perhaps the Turkish women in public life was a matter of necessity, a reconstruction measure brought about by the fact so many of the men had lost their lives in the war. I was soon to learn differently."

"I was driving one day with my daughter, who accompanied me on my visit, my mother and my brother in the main park of the city. On one of the promenades I saw a party of women, smartly gowned and hatted in the latest Paris fashions. An escort was with them. One glance assured me they were Turkish."

"Well, I called to the driver—he was an old Turk—since when have your women left off the veil and become European?" He spat disgustedly in the dust of the highway. "They are not Turkish," he scoffed.

"We want none of them, Musselman! I am sure the eight-spotted disposition for the entire day. He was of the old school of Turk, who believed in the stone wall and the latticed screen for women."

APR EUROPEAN CLOTHES. "Later I discovered from Turkish friends in the city that is a growing tendency among oriental women to ape European clothes and customs. Many of the daughters of first Turkish families have attended schools in France or elsewhere on the continent. They return to the cloistered life of their country restless and rebellious. They demand many liberties. Some of them they secure. Gradually the old order is weakened."

"Another force in revolution is the fact Constantinople is the most cosmopolitan city in the world. You will find there women of every nationality—English, French, Spanish, German, Italian, South American and any number from our own United States America. Their influence, even though it is a silent one, is invaluable in securing their less fortunate sisters freedom."

Mrs. Bustanoby explained that while the people of Constantinople had suffered great privation during the war—she found her own mother

wan and hollow-cheeked—there is now plenty for every one and living is cheap in comparison with prices here.

"The English are in complete control of the city," she declared. "They rule it as rigidly as did the Germans during the war of the Turks before the war. I talked with many friends and acquaintances, both European and oriental, and all of them united in wishing for a return of the Turkish regime. They say living conditions were much better under the Turks."

"One day when we were riding outside the city on a narrow road winding around a mountain we heard a loud clatter behind us. The driver drew hastily to the side, almost spilling us down into the deep ravine. 'Why did you do that?' I demanded angrily. 'Why not drive faster and let the carriages follow us?'"

"The driver shook his head. 'Did you not observe, madame,' he said, 'the occupant of that carriage was an Englishman? I tried your advice once and I am only out of the hospital after three months' suffering. It is better to make way.' If only the old days might return!"

"The remarkable part of the incident is the driver was a Greek. And the Greeks hate the Turks with an dying hatred."

Miss Cecile Bustanoby, daughter of my informant, admitted she was "mighty happy to be an American. 'It was nice to see grandmother,' she explained, 'and I enjoyed the picturesque part of Constantinople, but I could not remain there, no matter how much freedom they give their women.'"

Miss Cecile, born Dalmatian, has the olive skin and velvet dark eyes of the south country combined with the vivacity and eager ambition of the American. She is a talented pianist and has won favorably in the brush. In enthusiasm and "pep" she out-American many an American born.

"The best way to get the spirit of this country," she advises, "is to attend one of the American schools. There you are soon brought to realize the meaning of democracy. Every girl stands on her merits and is liked or disliked according to her own personality. That is as it should be in all hands under the sun."

Both Mrs. Bustanoby and her daughter eschew veils.

"To one who knows Constantinople," they say, "the veil holds too much significance."

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GASOLINE ALLEY—BILL MADE THE SAME BLUNDER



LETTERS TO

"THE TIMES."

Quotes a Jurist.

FALLBROOK, Dec. 13.—[To the Editor of The Times:] It is noted that the District Attorney is still running around gleefully flourishing his Christian Science Practitioner Club and his ears being vigorously rubbed by the "Medical Union." Let us hope that he can pause long enough to observe the handwriting on the wall, open up between the eyes, before battering his brains out against the impregnable wall. Incidentally it might be well for him to convert his brief delivered before the Supreme Court a few years ago on the opposite side of this for the cure of souls. . . . This

question, as otherwise some dapper attorney may be the same vermin when a case comes to trial, giving credit to the author. As it understood that over thirty States have now recognized Christian Science healing as legal to the exclusion of allopathy. Chief Justice Clark of the North Carolina, Supreme Court, in construing the medical statute of the State, said: "The State has not restricted the cure of the body to the practice of medicine and surgery. . . . nor required that, before anyone can be treated for bodily ill, the physician must have acquired a competent knowledge of allopathy and be licensed by those skilled therein. To do that would be to limit progress by establishing allopathy as the State system of healing and forbid all others. This would be as foreign to our system of government as a State church."

is a free country and any man has a right to be treated by any system he chooses. The law cannot decide that any one system shall be the system he shall choose. If he gets improper treatment for children or others under his care whereby they are injured he is liable to punishment; but whether it was proper treatment or not is a matter of fact to be settled by a jury of his peers and not a matter of law to be decided by a judge nor prescribed beforehand by an act of the Legislature. . . . All the law can do is to regulate and safeguard the use of powerful and dangerous remedies like the knife and drugs, but it cannot forbid dispensing with them.

In 1904 there were more than 28,000 young men and women studying medicine in the United States. The number has now been reduced one-half. The death rate of medical col-

leges has been terrific—now eight-five in existence against one hundred and sixty-two fourteen years ago. No wonder the "Medical Union" sees the handwriting on the wall. C. E. HOWLAND.

Believes in Lynching.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In reply to your editorial appearing in The Times for Saturday, Dec. 11, 1920, entitled "No Lynch Law," may I offer the following remonstrance: It seems to me that if more crooks were dealt with in the manner Santa Rosa adopted with the three martyrs of your editorial there would be less and less crime in proportion of lynchings. If lynchings are the thing, crooks will watch their steps more carefully.

In the old days, lynching was almost too good for a horse thief and a man who stole a cow. If the "old time" justice was not too good for those who stole, why not the same for those who kill? The sentence is of little consequence on the death. A crook who steals a cow or a horse or a man for a tooth policy would be out by an indignant public. Would he be pleased to see other readers on this subject believe I am not the only one of having my nose rubbed in the mud? G. W. H.

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Every dress is charmingly designed and expertly executed. The delicate shadings of blue, pink, green, etc., seem to give complete contentment and happiness. The styles are of a kind, assuring individuality to each delightful dress. There are dresses of billowy net with numerous ruffles and individual touches. Inex Frocks lend their desire to the group.

There's not a Dress among the twenty-eight that would not prove delightfully acceptable as a Christmas Gift! One who shares from among these specially priced Dresses will have appreciably!

The new prices range from \$12.50 to \$32.50. Remember, twenty-eight Dresses concerned—Today—on Bullock's fourth floor.

Christmas Furs

Gifts only adore Furs! No matter how small or how young the child, a gift of a pretty Fur Piece or Set would prove most desirable. A specialization of Furs for Girls is made on Bullock's Fourth Floor.



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—Just imagine the exclamations of delight the Girl would utter if, on Christmas morning, she discovered among her Gifts—a new, charming Winter Hat! Bullock's has devoted an entire Section to Girls' Millinery—on the Fourth Floor.

Here They Are!

Boys' Knicker Suits at \$18.50

Emphatically a Sale!

—Bullock's Boys' Store has repriced 150 Suits, duplicates of which have been selling for a great, great deal more than their new, Pre-Christmas marking! The Sale commences this morning on Bullock's Fifth Floor—and ceases when quantities are exhausted!

—The Suits are of the finest qualities of Cashmere and Worsted! They're Wool Suits—hand tailored—by expert tailors—in the most recent styles. They're Suits that look great and that wear beyond the most radiant expectations! The colors are gray, brown, green and mixtures. Sizes range from 8 to 16 years.

—This offering should not be overlooked! It is an exceptional opportunity to provide a most wonderful Gift for the Boy at substantial Savings! —One hundred Suits are repriced to \$18.50—fifty suits are repriced at \$25.00. In either case the values are amazing! Bullock's Fifth Floor.

Boys' Other Apparel

such as Blouses, Ties, Stockings, Belts, Caps, Overcoats, Underwear, etc., etc., are offered in splendid assortment in Bullock's Boys' Store. Any article is most desirable for Christmas Giving.

Christmas Sweaters for Boys and Girls

—It might be hard to beat as Christmas Gifts for Boys and Girls! Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall they're needed! If the material and workmanship are good, Gift Sweaters represent the Memory of the Givers for years.

Bullock's has splendid, heavy wool Slipper-Sweaters for Boys—priced \$10.00. This is a special Pre-Christmas marking that makes worthwhile Savings possible. Several colors are represented. See these on the Fifth Floor.

Bullock's Girls' Store has Sweaters of many styles and at many prices—but is featuring for Christmas—Winter-weight wool Sweaters and Tuxedo styles—specially priced \$10.00 for sizes of 2, 3, 4 and 5 years—and \$12.50 for sizes of 6 to 12 years. These are on the Fourth Floor.

Children's Gift Books

—Children are always delighted with books—especially gift books.

Bullock's Book Store has a splendid selection of Books for Children—newly arrived from the publishers—on the Fourth Floor.

Subscription to one of the leading Children's Magazines might be the thing. Inexpensive Service—on the Fourth Floor.

Cavalier Boots

—These down-cuffs of white felt with leather design; leather blue; brown Beauty and Cadet Blue; sizes 11 to 14 at \$2.75; sizes 11 to 12 at \$1.00.

Boys' Hylo Cut Slippers

—These padded soles; in striking blue and brown; sizes 11 to 14 at \$2.75.

Toys

—Unconsciously at Christmas Time—one looks Toys and Bullock's! And well it is so—for on Bullock's Fifth Floor—there have been assembled hundreds of "givable" Toys—of every description—and at many unusual prices.

—Watch tonight's Advertisement for more detailed listing of Toys.

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—assisted by Merribella, entertains from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 5 every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—and every Saturday from 9 to store closing at one o'clock—from now until Christmas. Bring the Children to tell Santa what they want. Fifth Floor.



Christmas Slippers

—Slippers—delightful Gifts for everybody! Bullock's Boys' and Girls' Shoe Store is offering some specially desirable Slippers for Christmas Giving to Children. A few are listed here.

Fur Trimmed Juliets

—Dainty, yet serviceable slippers; in red or Alice blue; leather soles, sizes 6 to 11, at \$2.25; sizes 11½ to 2 at \$2.50. Fifth Floor.

Bullock's

—Gloves have always held a place of prominence among the "givable" useful Gifts for Christmas. No one, perhaps, really enjoys the wearing of Gloves so much as do Boys and Girls. Bullock's has devoted a Section to Children's Gloves.

—There are pretty French Kid Gloves for dress wear—in 16-B length—in white—at \$8.50 pair.

—Slip-on Gloves of white Kid—also of champagne and brown—are \$7.50 pair. The short French Kid Gloves—in white and champagne and brown—are priced \$2.50 and \$3.50 pair.

—Practical gloves of mocha, suede, leather and wool—in various sizes and at many prices are here to be found. Even mittens for the little tots are here offered at \$1.75 pair. If one would give "sure-to-please" Gifts to Children—"Give Bullock's Gloves." Fifth Floor.

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—Football, Basket Balls, Volley and Soccer Balls, Baseballs of all sizes and descriptions. Punching Bags, Boxing Gloves, Guns, Bicycles, etc., etc., are offered on Bullock's Fifth Floor at attractive prices.

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SOCIETY.

BY VIRGINIA WOODS.

For Capt. and Mrs. Hussey.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Avery McCarthy are to entertain at tea on Sunday in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Charles Lincoln Hussey, who have just come here from Washington, D. C. He is to command the U.S.S. Idaho and they are to reside in Long Beach. Mrs. Hussey is the daughter of Admiral Bronson and was quite a social light in Washington.

Gay Bushee a Host.
Gay Bushee is to be host this evening at a dinner party preceding the Junior Cotillion and is to entertain his company at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Francis Sartori.

His guests will include Misses Hortense McLaughlin, Josephine Cook, Emily Earl, Elizabeth Sherlock, M. McGarry and Messrs. Jarvis and Edwin Earl, John Keller, Charles Lawler, and Roy Bushee. Roy Bushee came down yesterday from Berkeley to spend the holidays here.

Miss Iren's Party.
Miss Helen Iren is to be hostess at a dancing party at the Brentwood Country Club tonight.
She will have a company of sixty guests. Supper will be served at midnight at tables done in Christmas holly. The ball-room decorations also will have a Yuletide motif.

Attractive Luncheon.
Mrs. Sydney I. Wallis is to entertain at an elaborate luncheon today. Her guests will go later to the Philharmonic concert.

Returning From Abroad.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cass of 2531 Twelfth avenue are to return Tuesday from a short sojourn in London and New York, where Mr. Cass went on business.

By Mrs. Rice.
Mrs. Dorothy Rice of 943 West Twenty-eighth street is to entertain at a musical tea this afternoon in honor of Miss Maude Elizabeth Richards and Charles Wakefield Cadman.

Dr. and Mrs. Barlow.
Dr. and Mrs. Walter Jarvis Barlow are to give a dancing party Wednesday evening next, in honor of their young daughter, Miss Ella Brooks Barlow, and a large coterie of her young friends.

Supper Party.
Miss Corinne Eisenmayer will be the hostess at a little supper party on Sunday evening.

Returning From Berkeley.
Miss Gertrude Orcutt, who is returning from Berkeley for the holidays, is to give a large dinner party on the evening of December 29.

Miss Torrance.
Miss Katherine Torrance is to entertain at dinner tomorrow evening for a company of twelve of the younger married folk, and on the Sunday evening following Christmas will give a supper party for thirty guests. At this she will use Yuletide greens for decorations.

Arriving From China.
Miss Lillian Van Dyke, who has been traveling through China the past nine months with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich Barton of Oakland, is expected to arrive here Monday from San Francisco.

Christmas Dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Benton Van Nuy of 1817 Lorraine Boulevard are to entertain at a family dinner party on Christmas day. They have just returned from a month's visit in San Francisco.

Clarke Keeley.
Clarke Keeley, son of Mrs. Russell McDonald Taylor, who is at school in the East, will return for the holidays and will be guest of honor at a dinner that Mr. and Mrs. Taylor are to give on December 29, just before the dancing party at which Mr. and Mrs. William May Garland will entertain at the California Club for their son, Jack Garland.

Prenuptial Tea.
Miss Lucille Nicholas is to be hostess at a tea this afternoon at her home, 1522 Crenshaw Boulevard, in honor of Miss Isabella Childs, who is to be married Monday to Henry Mahan.

Those invited are Misses Mildred Molting, Margaret Bauch, Helen Walsh, Mary Thompson, Letitia Reiss, Eleanor Cole, Amelia Hoxan, Eleanor Connell, Marie Collier, Eva Haight, Eleanor Griffin, Margaret McGarry, Florence Jones, Marita Nicholas, Marion Hamilton, Elizabeth Jenkins, Cassia Smith, Eleanor Moore, Nettie Pride, and Anna Mary Anderson. Miss Nicholas will be assisted by her mother, Mrs. Rush T. Hill, and by Mrs. Daniel B. Childs and Miss Cathryn Childs. Phila Ward, Luella Lockwood and Mildred Nicholas.

Here From Minnesota.
Mr. and Mrs. Otis Abel and daughter, Miss Ida Abel, of Winona, Minn., have for some time been enjoying the hospitality of their cousin, Mrs. Carolina Lamb and Miss Harriet Watson of 124 North Harvard Boulevard and Mrs. Anna E. Lander of 2532 Hollywood Boulevard. The Abels have spent several winters here and have now purchased a handsome home at 4621 Franklin avenue, Hollywood, and will be here permanently. Mr. Abel was a prominent contractor in Minnesota.

For Miss Cooke.
Miss Dorothy Cooke, a charming girl in the younger set, is the motif for a large reception and tea at which Mrs. Herbert Beckwith of Palmetto Drive, Pasadena, will entertain 200 guests this afternoon.

HIKERS TO GIVE DANCE.

Seek to Raise Fund for Purchase of Hospital Phonograph.

A Christmas dance and vaudeville entertainment will be given tomorrow evening at Normal Hill Center, Fifth and Hope streets, by the Dyes Hiking Club. All the proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to the purchase of a phonograph and records for the tuberculosis patients at the Glue View Hospital at San Fernando. At present there is no musical instrument of any kind for the use of the invalids and convalescents. Mrs. E. B. Gillett will be in charge of the dance, which will be open to the public.

FINED AND JAILED.

Henry Sharr, who conducted the Moser roadhouse on the highway between Bakersfield and Taft, pleaded guilty to selling liquor before U. S. District Judge Trippett yesterday, and was fined \$150 with sixty days in the Kern County Jail.

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DOES THE WORK SAYS HARDING

"Tanlac Is the Medicine
for Me," He Says.

Could Hardly Work on Ac-
count of Rheumatism.

Nothing But Tanlac Ever
Helped Him.

"This is the second time now, Tanlac has put me on my feet, and you may know by just what I think of the medicine," said William T. Harding, 734 South Crockett St., Los Angeles, a well known carpenter and builder, recently.

"Yes, sir, three years ago, while living in Manhattan, Kansas, I had rheumatism in my shoulders and neck so bad I could hardly work. I tried medicine after medicine. Then I happened to hear about Tanlac and began taking it. Three bottles fixed me up in good shape, and I haven't had a trace of rheumatism since."

"Just last summer my stomach commenced to feel out of order, I lost my appetite and what little I did eat made me feel bloated, all stuffed up and miserable. My strength all seemed to leave me, and I always felt weak, tired and worn out, and was so nervous I couldn't sleep."

"Well, I remembered what a good job Tanlac did for me before, so I just got some more of the medicine, and now my appetite is fine and everything agrees with me perfectly. I sleep like a log night, and am feeling strong and energetic like I used to. Tanlac certainly does the work, and I'll tell the world it's the medicine for me."

Tanlac is sold in Los Angeles, Pasadena and San Diego by the Owl Drug Stores. A personal Tanlac representative is at their Fifth and Broadway store afternoons—Advertisement.

MONDAY It Will Be A SALE OF 1000 BLOUSES

That Will
Keep All Los Angeles
Talking About

Jacoby's

(See Sunday's Times)

REDUCTION OF CANDY PRICES

To give our patrons the benefit of
reduced sugar costs and in an
effort to bring about a resumption
of normal prices.

The Elite

641 South Flower

announces a reduction of twenty-
five cents a pound on CHOCO-
LATES and BON BONS.
Handsome and useful decorated
boxes are splendid Christmas gifts.

The Elite
CATERERS AND CONFECTIONERS
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INVITE KIDDIES TO BIG PARTY.

Pasadena to Stage Community
Christmas.

Crown City Man Organizes
for Winter Football.

Hold Teachers' Institute in
Church Auditorium.

PARADISE, Dec. 14.—All the
orphans in Pasadena are to be en-
tertained at a great Christmas tree
party, according to plans just made
by the Kiwanis Club, which is co-
operating with the city in the fi-
nancing of the tree.

The tree, which will be erected
at Santa Rosa avenue, Altadena, in
addition, the entire countryside
will be invited to the affair. Christ-
mas carols will be sung by the
multitude, under the direction of
Robert E. Clark, the song leader of
the United Brotherhood community
Bible class.

In reply to protests from some
citizens who are objecting to a mu-
nicipal appropriation for decoration
of the trees and, who suggested that
the money be given to the orphans,
Dr. Arthur Freeman and many other
friends of the tree decoration
plan have pointed out that celebra-
tion of the tree is a community af-
fair, and that the money should be
contributed by the city.

Moreover, the friends of the
plan say that the cost to the city
will be nominal. The Kiwanis
Club is hearing much of it, and the
electric "juice" and much of the
labor has been donated.

WINNER FOOTBALL LEAGUE.
Football may be played at Tourna-
ment Park, Pasadena, all winter, if
plans announced today by George
Conn, known in his Pasadena High
School athletic days as "Toff",
are carried out. He an-
nounced that he will organize a
winter football league, with former
college stars, who will spend the
winter in Southern California as the
members of the team. He sought
permission for use of the park to-
day from members of the City Com-
mission and proposes to make the
city a sharer in the game receipts.

INSTITUTE IN CHURCH.
Because the heating plant at Pa-
sadena High School will be shut off
during the holidays to permit of re-
pairs, in the opinion of the school
auditorium of the John Muir Inter-
mediate School is not large enough
to accommodate all the teachers.
The change was announced today by
Rust, John Franklin West. The
schools close for the Christmas
holidays tomorrow. The Teachers'
Institute opens next Monday and
will continue through the end of the
month. The schools will reopen Jan. 3.

HOLLYWOOD FOLKS GUESTS.
Playwrights and actors from the
stage studios in Hollywood were
the guests of the Cauldron Club of
Pasadena at their dinner here to-
night. Penrhyn Stanbury, the artist,
and Barrett Kiehl, a writer, con-
nected with one of the studios,
spoke.

SPIKE IN HIS TOE.
Robert Smith, a carpenter, whose
home is in Sierra Madre, was treat-
ed at the Emergency Hospital to-
day, when a huge spike was ex-
tracted from one of his big toes.
Smith drove the spike through his
toe while at work on a house on
North Garland avenue.

NEW ORGANIZATION HEADS.
R. C. Davis was elected president
of the Kiwanis Club today, suc-
ceeding Kenneth Newell, whose term
of office has expired. Clara E. Braden
was elected vice-president.

The Pasadena post of the Ameri-
can Legion is to be reorganized for
the coming year. A. B. Hixby was
elected commander, succeeding
Herbert Hahn. R. C. Mc-
Callum was elected first vice-com-
mander; Paul Washburn, second
vice-commander; and Harold E.
Schaffer, treasurer.

Visit the famous Busch Gardens
Open benefit Pasadena Hospital.—
Advertisement.
You will find just what you want
and be delighted with the price at
Grace Nicholson's Famous Pasadena
Gift Shop.—Advertisement.

OFFICERS FIND BOOZE
ON SHIP AT HARBOR.

(SPECIAL DISPATCH.)
SAN PEDRO, Dec. 14.—Customs
officers arrived today from Cen-
tral American ports, and confiscated
nearly twenty cases of whiskey and
champagne. Some of the liquor was
found under a false floor of the ship's
hold.

The steamer has such a camp, and
Orange county officials today stated
that steps are being taken to re-
establish the camp formerly main-
tained there.

THE GUMPS—AT LAST MIN IS RIGHT

WHY YOU'RE ARGUING—
THE MINUTE I MENTIONED
THAT BAG YOU STARTED
TO RAVE—
ARGUE WITH ME—

I'M
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YOU'RE
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I DON'T SEE ANY ARGUMENT—
WE'RE NOT HAVING A DISPUTE—
IT TAKES TWO PEOPLE TO
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LAND JEWELLED FISH.

Strange Specimen Not Known to
San Diego Fishermen.

(SPECIAL DISPATCH.)
SAN DIEGO, Dec. 14.—An un-
identified fish, decorated with strings
of pearls like a South Sea Islander,
and wearing weapons to protect
itself in the form of needle-pointed
teeth, was brought to port today
by a purse seiner.

A. L. Monahan, State Fish Com-
missioner on duty here, was unable
to identify it and it was finally
turned over to Capt. W. C. Cran-
dall of the La Jolla Biological In-
stitute, who will endeavor to trace
its ancestry. The fish has hundreds
of mother-of-pearl dots covering
its body, from the head to the tail.

Fishermen declare that no moth-
er-of-pearl fish has ever been
landed before at this port. The
pearls were packed in a beauti-
ful filigree design over the entire
body. The fish was caught in a net
about 15 miles southwest of
Point Loma. It was a foot in
length and weighed a little more
than a pound.

CHURCH DOME FALLS.

Six Workmen Injured in Crash at
Long Beach.

(SPECIAL DISPATCH.)
LONG BEACH, Dec. 14.—Six
bricklayers were injured shortly
after noon today when the new
First Christian Church, under con-
struction at Fifth street and Lo-
cus avenue, collapsed, burying the
men beneath the wreckage.

The four walls of the church edifice
remained standing, but a hurried
survey after the collapse indicated
that the supports had been weak-
ened by the falling debris and the
walls may have to be reconstructed.
The building proper was nearly
completed and the structure was to
have been dedicated early in March.

Forty workmen were inside or
near the church when the dome
collapsed, and many of the work-
men were injured. The collapse
came at about 1 o'clock, and the
men were hurrying to the site of
the accident.

All of the victims were caught in
the avalanche of wreckage and
struck by falling timbers, bricks
and other material. They were ex-
tricated within a few minutes by
firemen under the direction of Chief
J. S. Tandy. They were hurried to
Seaside Hospital.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Woman Dies from Injuries; Army
Man Badly Hurt.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
RIVERSIDE, Dec. 14.—A. B. Johnson of Squadron A, March
Field, lies in a critical condition at
the Riverside Hospital with a fractured
skull, the result of a collision
with a telephone pole on East Eighth
street. It is presumed the acci-
dent, which occurred at 1 o'clock this
morning, was due to Johnson's losing
control of his motorcycle.

He was picked up by a jitney driver.
Mrs. Mabel Armstrong, 38, of
Pasadena, was killed by the same
motorcycle when she fell under the
wheels of a motor truck on which
she was riding. She passed away
while being brought to a hospital here.

SAN DIEGO AROUSED
BY ACCIDENT RECORD.

(SPECIAL DISPATCH.)
SAN DIEGO, Dec. 14.—Statistics
showing that automobile accidents
in San Diego are more frequent
than in most cities of like popula-
tion in the United States, have
thoroughly aroused the members of
the City Council that they have
called on the police department for
action.

It was suggested that more ar-
rests be made for violation of the
city traffic ordinances, and heavy
fines imposed on the offenders. With
the chief of police and the police
judges acting in unison, the coun-
cilmen believe San Diego will soon be
able to make a better showing.

PROVIDE PRISON CAMP.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
RIVERSIDE, Dec. 14.—County
officials were in touch today with the
officials of San Bernardino County
regarding the establishment of a prison
camp with a view to employing prisoners on coun-
ty roads and making these counties
unpopular with the vagrant.

The Board of Supervisors has de-
cided to establish such a camp in
this county, probably in the San Ja-
cinto Mountains. San Bernardino
county already has such a camp, and
Orange county officials today stated
that steps are being taken to re-
establish the camp formerly main-
tained there.

MONUMENT TO VETERANS.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
VENTURA, Dec. 14.—The Ven-
tura county post of the American Le-
gion has voted to erect a shaft to
cost \$25,000 to \$30,000, as a
memorial to Ventura county's sol-
dier dead in the World War. The
shaft will be erected either at Foster
Park or in a local cemetery.

MANY TOURISTS TAKE
ROUT OVER DESERT.

(SPECIAL DISPATCH.)
NILELAND, Dec. 14.—The Nile-
land highway, as yet only a road
across the desert, although it is in
good shape, is attracting from fifteen
to twenty carloads of tourists daily
from Parker and Needles, according
to a letter made public from C.
Edward Fletcher, San Diego road
agent. He advocates the highway
improvement of the route in the hope
that a permanent highway may be
secured and these tourists routed
from Nileland to El Centro, thence
to San Diego and thence north.

HELP OLIVE GROWERS.
(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
RIVERSIDE, Dec. 14.—The
Chamber of Commerce directors
will participate in a movement to
promote the olive industry, which
is an important one in this county.
At a meeting last night an order
for 10,000 circulars relating to the
industry was authorized. These will
be sent broadcast in letters from the
chamber and from business houses
it willing to co-operate in the pro-
ject.

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of the dates, fixing them by his
receipt book and the memory of the
occasion that it was "three or
four days after the second round
fight between the two men."
He also said that on the night of Friday,
December 10, he named the McLaughlin
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on the bed, half-hidden by an
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WHAT MRS. COLE SAYS.
Mrs. Cole's story was that she was
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rooming-house about 1:30 Sunday
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front door of the house, she saw Mc-
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He walked away, disappearing east
on Temple street. To this McLaughlin
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Happiness
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Christmas time
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Buy Christmas
Seals and thus
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Art and Gift Wares
Christmas Buyers
Marble Statuary and
Frames—three of the very
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upon Lamps, Shades, Por-
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of art.

if you really want to
your Christmas-giving
satisfactory—don't fail to
to Barker Bros.' Art and Gift
on the Mezzanine Floor.

Broadway, Between
Seventh and Eighth

WILLE LIKES JAZZY RESORT.

French General Sits
in Notorious Cafe.

Movie Studio Set, but
It Was Realistic.

Military Reception by
Hollywood Pupils.

A cafe was visited yester-
day by Gen. Robert Georges,
formerly commander-in-
chief of the French armies, during
his tour of the city.

The general, a con-
spicuous figure in the World War
in France, was in the cafe of
the city, where he was surrounded
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FAVORS LONG ENGAGEMENTS.

Judge Thinks Three Months
Too Short Acquaintance
to Chance Wedding.

Three months is no ac-
quaintance at all on which to
get married, declared Judge
Taft yesterday after hearing
testimony in the divorce suit
brought by James L. Fraser, a
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RATE PLAN PUT UP TO MEXICO.

Irrigation Directors Report
Unfavorable Reception.

Engineer Allison Replies to
Their Statements.

Accuses Them of Utter
Motive, Self-seeking.

MEXICALI, Dec. 16.—A dele-
gation from the Imperial Irriga-
tion District called on Senator Luis
Romero, the Mexican government's
representative, and reported after talk-
ing with him that he was unfavor-
able to the plan presented by J. C.
Allison, representing the Colorado
River Land Company, for a volun-
tary rise in water rentals from lands
along the line. The delegation
consisted of President J. S. Nickerson,
Director Marr Ross and General
Manager F. N. Cronholm. They re-
ported that Mr. Romero asked them
to furnish estimates of money re-
quired from lands behind the line
that he would submit the matter to
his government in Mexico City, to-
gether with his recommendations.

There is a general feeling in
the valley that the offer of the Mexican
land interests, which would in-
crease the rate of water rentals from
one to two dollars a acre, is a
stipulation of the manner in which
the rate of water rentals should be
fixed. It is a stipulation, through ap-
plication to the government, that the
rate of water rentals should be fixed
at a certain amount, and that the
board should not have the power to
change it.

General Manager Cronholm has
pointed out that if the Mexican
land interests had paid their propo-
rtionate share of the 1920-21 budget, the acre tax
on the American side of the line
would have been reduced from \$2.50
to \$1.25 an acre.

This, in effect, is what the Mex-
ican interests have voluntarily of-
fered to do.

Regarding tentative estimates of
Mr. Allison, approved by the mu-
nicipal advisory board, the land
interests, of possible \$1,000,000 cut
in the budget, Mr. Cronholm says:

"It must be understood that these
savings will not be effected by
doing the work that we are doing
cheaply, but by eliminating items
from the budget which the board or
directors believe can hold over until
conditions are different."

In his estimates, as placed in the
hands of the board, Mr. Allison
repeatedly compared the present ex-
penses with those under the receiver.
Cronholm says: "We object to com-
parison of present expenses with
those under Mr. Holbrook. As I
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that were done there. I believe that
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GENERAL WILL RECOVER.

Injuries Received in Overturn of
Auto Prove Not Fatal.

MEXICALI, Dec. 16.—Physicians
attending Gen. Abelardo Rodriguez,
military commander of the Northern
District of Lower California, who
was seriously injured Tuesday when
his motor car skidded on Avenida
Portillo Diaz and, striking a tele-
phone pole, overturned, today an-
nounced that he will recover. His
cheek bone was crushed.

WIFE COMPLAINS OF OUSTING FROM HOME.

Mrs. Ruth Reedy, who declares
she was driven from her home about
a year after her marriage to John
Reedy, filed suit for separate main-
tenance yesterday. She says her
husband's income is \$5000 a year
and she asks to be awarded \$200 a
month. Mr. Reedy and Mrs. Reedy
were married June 22, 1919, and
separated September 22 last.

JURIST BECOMES JAZZING JAZZIST.

REDLANDS, Dec. 16.—
Judge Harry T. Dewhirst, former
judge of the county, who be-
came a member of the law-
lite sect and went with his
family to Benton Harbor,
Mich., to live at the "House of
David" some time ago, is a
member of the famous House
of David Jazz Band now. He
has just been out with the
band for a three weeks' tour
of vaudeville houses of the
Middle West.

The judge was a well-known
amateur violinist when here
and is now studying the
violin. He plays the cornet in
the band, which, while it is a
wonderful jazz organization
also gives a classical program.
Judge Dewhirst is to play in
the orchestra there, too.

He writes his friends here
that when all the tribes are
gathered, there will be 70,000
musicians at the "House of
David."

Count of Votes for Pool Halls Starts Charges.

HOLTVILLE, Dec. 16.—Legal ac-
tion is expected to follow the elec-
tion Tuesday on the question of pool
halls in Holtville, when out of 591
votes cast, the ordinance to close
pool halls received a majority of 108
and the one ousting pool halls was
defeated.

The great register was hidden, or
failed to arrive through careless-
ness until 2:45 in the morning and
both sides were making charges of
illegality before it arrived. The blame
is placed on the city clerk, who is
said to be a member of the law-
lite sect. Between 8 and 9:45 a.m. Dis-
trict Attorney E. R. Simon has not yet
given his opinion on the legality of the
election, but is expected to cause trouble,
possibly resulting in a new election being held.

Drug-Crammed, Much-Traveled Trunk is Found.

Narcotic Inspector Bright and
two city detectives found a trunk
said to contain 200 bottles of cocaine
in a South Hill street apart-
ment-house yesterday. The trunk
was found in possession of a guest
whose name is withheld.

It is said that considerable mys-
tery exists in regard to the trunk,
as it seems that it was sent to San
Diego and back again several times
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SUITS FOLLOW FILM "STUNT" BY AVIATOR.

When the Katherine MacDonald
Pictures Corporation people filed
Aviator Frank Clark "taking off"
the Los Angeles Railway Building
last Tuesday afternoon for an aerial
trick in the production of the cinema
film "The Stunt," they demon-
strated that it could happen but now,
it could happen again. As a result
of the stunt, the actual tax per acre
would have been 27 cents.

THE camera man, grinding the
crank for the Katherine MacDonald
company "got" the stunt, but the
actual tax per acre would have been
27 cents.

Several camera men working for
news weeklies.

Yesterday the Katherine MacDon-
ald Pictures Corporation filed suits in
the Superior Court against the Pathe
Exchange and the Gaumont Com-
pany, to restrain them from using
in their new reels any pictures taken
by the Katherine MacDonald com-
pany.

The case will determine whether
a cinema company can legally pre-
vent any outside agency or person
from photographing or exhibiting
photographs taken of dramatic ac-
tion, arranged and paid for by a
producer as a part of a copyrighted
film drama.

Because it is not known how many
weeklies secured pictures of the
fight, injunctions are asked for
against all such agencies operating
in Los Angeles. The writs are re-
turnable next Wednesday.

ELOPED; DIDN'T WED.

Myron Walker, 19 years of age,
was arrested yesterday by Federal
agents at a Pasadena motion-pic-
ture studio charged with viola-
tion of the Mann White Slave Act.
He was arrested before U. S. Com-
missioner Long and held in a bond
of \$1000.

The woman in the case is Miss
Gladya Barton, a 15-year-old girl
from Los Angeles, who is now in
Portland.

It is charged that the couple
eloped from Portland to San
Francisco, but that there was no
marriage. Instead Walker came to
Los Angeles and the girl returned
to the north.

CHENEY WINS BOUT.

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Dec. 16.—Andy
Cheney, featherweight, of Baltimore,
knocked out Harry Kabanoff, of St.
Louis in the first round of a
scheduled eight-round bout tonight.

MAY CHECK ROAD WORK TWO YEARS.

Imperial Valley Suit Has
Stopped Payment of Money
to Highway Builders.

HEBER, Dec. 16.—"We are ready
to lay highway at the rate of a mile
a week, commencing any time, in
five weeks the road from Heber to
Calxico can be completed and in six
weeks the public can be using it.
Now just before the Board of Super-
visors honors our first demands, in-
comes a lawyer, furnishes a bond of
\$2500 and ties up an \$80,000 job in
which we have already \$25,000 in-
vested."

E. J. Dillon of Patterson, Dillon
& Peterson, contractors, who have
the contract for the highway pay-
ing, was talking.

"In the complaint they intimate
that we are overcharging the county
\$5000 to \$10,000 a mile. There were
four bidders on the route and our
bid was \$42,000 under the next low-
est, yet they say in effect we are
robbing the county. Unless the suit
is thrown out of court highway con-
struction may be tied up for two
years."

The suit was filed just before the
first demand of the contractors for pay-
ment of money. The demand was for
\$50,000 and was made good by more
than that amount of cement in the
made and the grading already done.

The restraining order tied up pay-
ments from the county. The suit is
not aimed at the contractors, but
they are the sufferers. They have
sums of money tied up which they
cannot secure draft on advances
from the county.

GIRL AND "UNCLE" IN CASH AND JEWEL CASE.

Detectives are looking for a tall,
slender, dark-haired girl, who, ac-
cording to a report made to the po-
lice last night, bunked Louis H.
Kyriakos, the proprietor of a confec-
tionery store at 105 South Main
street, out of a diamond ring worth
\$300 and a loan of \$225 to her
"uncle and guardian." Both the girl
and her "uncle" have left town, the
police say.

Mr. Kyriakos said she entered his
store some time ago and they be-
came acquainted. She told him she
had \$25,000 in the bank and an
uncle who was her guardian. Later,
the girl, who used the name of Marie
Donaroff, and Mrs. Kyriakos became
engaged, he said. Then he bought
her a diamond ring worth \$300
and placed it upon her finger.

In an apartment-house on West
Street Mr. Kyriakos was in-
troduced to the "uncle" and a few
days after his introduction, the
"uncle" appeared at the confec-
tionery store and asked for a loan
of \$500. Mr. Kyriakos loaned him
\$225 and he said he would pay
back the next day. The next day
came and passed and the next and
the next, but "uncle" never showed
up. According to Mr. Kyriakos, who says
he finally went to the apartment-
house and found that the couple
had left the city.

WILL DOUBLE ACREAGE.

Eravley, Dec. 16.—C. R.
Worces, one of the largest cotton
planters in Imperial Valley, is
expecting to double his acreage next
year, notwithstanding the present
adverse cotton conditions. This
year he grew 700 acres.

His yield was a disappointment, he
says, but he has found that the
valley yield is twice as good as
the plants yield, hence to at least
half of his crop next year will be
volunteered. He cannot explain the
reason, but says that some of the
volunteer crop this year went as
high as a bale an acre.

SAYS HE'S INSOLVENT.

Reviving memories of the pur-
ported sensational robbery of the
store of Harry Pragn at San Bern-
ardino some months ago, Pragn
filing a petition in bankruptcy in the
United States District Court yester-
day. He gave his debts, mostly un-
secured, as \$7494 and his assets as
\$1850.

In his assets Pragn lists \$2000
in the shape of burglary insurance
policies, the payment of which is
being contested by the insurance com-
panies, who assert that no burglary
ever took place. He also lists his
stock of goods as valued at \$4600,
the amount of the purchase price.

DATA ON THE NEEDY.

The Social Service Commission
announced yesterday that it will be
glad to advise citizens as to a num-
ber of local worthy child welfare
and girls' and boys' homes as well
as institutions for the afflicted and
aged which deserve remembrance
at the Christmas season. The com-
mission can be communicated with
by telephone or personal call at
Normal Hill Center or at Room 15,
City Hall.

PROBATION DENIED.

In spite of many pleas for proba-
tion for Reginald Morrison, who
pleaded guilty to two counts of bur-
glary, the defendant was sentenced
to San Quentin Wednesday by Judge
Wills for from one to fifteen years.
It was shown that Morrison had
served a term in Fort Leavenworth
and his sentence was committed and
that he was released at Los Angeles.
His burglaries are said to have been
committed since that time.

FOR BAD CHECKS.

